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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
8 AT SEATTLE

9 TRIPLE B CORPORATION, *et al.*,

10 Plaintiffs,

11 v.

12 JON WELLER, *et al.*,

13 Defendants.

No. C08-1262RSL

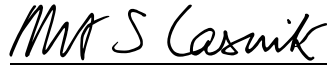
ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S
DISPOSITIVE MOTION WITHOUT
PREJUDICE

14 This matter comes before the Court on "Plaintiff's Motion for Default and Default
15 Judgment or, in the Alternative, for Summary Judgment Against Defendants." Dkt. # 5.
16 Defendants, the officers and owners of Village Food Markets, Inc., were served with the
17 summons and complaint on or before April 6, 2009. Defendants have not appeared or answered.
18 Defendant Peter Ferren has contacted plaintiff's counsel regarding the claims asserted herein,
19 but neither defendant responded to the pending motion.

20 Regardless of whether plaintiff is seeking judgment by default or by summary
21 disposition of its claims, it seeks a "judgment for affirmative relief" as that phrase is used in Fed.
22 R. Civ. P. 55(a). Before such relief can be granted, defendants' default must be entered by the
23 Clerk of Court. No default has yet been entered against either defendant. Plaintiff's motion is
24 therefore DENIED without prejudice.

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1 Dated this 27th day of January, 2010.

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3 Robert S. Lasnik
4 United States District Judge
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